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Kentucky Election Returns.

CHEERING INTELLIGENCE.

Kentucky gives an increased Democratic Majority.

CAPTAIN SIMMS SURELY ELECTED!

From the returns in our paper this morning, we can give our readers the glad intelligence that the Opposition fare no better in Kentucky than did the Know-Nothings.

We have elected the whole Democratic State ticket by about ten thousand majority—a gain on the Buchanan vote.

We have elected seven Democratic Congressmen sure, and claim the eighth.

We have again carried the Ashland District against the most desperate exertions of the Opposition.

We have elected Col. John A. Prall to the State Senate over Brutus J. Clay in Bourbon and Bath.

We have carried the House of Representatives by over twenty, and the Senate by at least six majority.

We have routed the enemy horse, foot, and dragons. Glory enough for one day.

The Congressional Election.

We have sufficient returns to insure the election of the following members of Congress: First district, H. C. Burnett, Democrat. Second district, S. O. Peyton, Democrat. Third district, F. M. Bristow, Opposition. Fifth district, John Young Brown, Democrat.

Sixth district, T. T. Garrard, Democrat. Seventh district, R. Mallory, Opposition. Eighth district, W. E. Simms, Democrat. Ninth district, J. W. Moore, Democrat. Tenth district, John W. Stevenson, Democrat.

There is only one district in doubt—the Fourth—and our intelligence from there leads us to believe that Chrisman, the Democratic candidate, will be elected.

Ashland District.

The following are the reported majorities in this district:

Counties.	Simms' maj.	Harlan's maj.
Scott.....	330	..
Harrison.....	394	..
Nicholas.....	376	..
Fayette.....	422	..
Bourbon.....	420	..
Woodford.....	171	..
Jessamine.....	14	..
Franklin.....	47	..
Simms' (Dem.) maj.....	66	..

Seventh District.

Counties.	Holt.	Mallory.
Oldham.....	536	333
Shelby.....	724	1,117
Henry, (estimated).....	375 maj.	..
Jefferson, (estimated).....	25 maj.	..
Louisville city.....	956	..
Total.....	1,600	2,336
Mallory's majority.....	1,600	..

Boone County.

WALTON, BOONE CO., Aug. 2, 1859.

Mr. Editor: Glory to God in the highest! old Boone is redeemed, as I promised you. I never saw such mental sickness as this morning's sun has brought upon the Know-Nothing leaders. Have you any room in your Lunatic Asylum near Frankfort? My trip to Salt river with them will be somewhat boisterous. I am using the spirits of harshest to keep up their drooping spirits but I doubt much if I can keep life in them until I give them in charge of our Central Committee. It is now six o'clock, A. M., and all of the precincts have been heard from, so far as Chambers and Riddle are concerned, the Senator and Representative, and the following report will not vary five votes. This is not official. Wait a few days, and you will have the official. Riddle has one hundred and one majority, and Chambers has one hundred and forty. Gallatin and Carroll is yet to hear from. Old Boone was the battle-field, and we have gained the victory. The Know-Nothing majority has always been heretofore from one hundred and fifty to two hundred. Boone is saved, and I am truly yours. R. A. E.

Pendleton County.

FALMOUTH, KY., Aug. 2, 1859.

Ms. Editor: Thinking that the readers of the Yeoman would like to hear from the "Banner County," I concluded to send you the result of the election. Pendleton has done nobly. Mann, our candidate for Representative, is elected over Smith by 214 majority. Stevenson's majority is about 250, and the State ticket about 340. Grant Green ran ahead of the whole ticket at McKinneysburgh. Revill's majority last year was 180. So, instead of Democratic stock being on the downfall, it is above par in this county, as the result has shown.

Yours truly, H.

Adair County.

COLUMBIA, Monday Night, Aug. 1st '59.

Editor YEOMAN: Magoffin and State ticket majority is between 550 and 575. James' majority will be near 600. Chrisman's majority from 540 to 550.

Owens, independent K. N., over Alexander, O. K. N., 125. I had no opposition.

We have never worked so hard and with such good success, making glorious headway against wind and tide and money.

Furrah for Adair Democracy and for Cravens. He is a glorious Democrat.

Yours truly, NAT. GAITHER.

N. B.—Report from Taylor, Chrisman's majority 320.

Clarke County—Complete.

WINCHESTER, KY., Aug. 2d, 1859.

Editor YEOMAN: The official vote of Clarke county is as follows:

Governor—Bell, 953; Magoffin, 408; Bell's majority, 545.
Lieut. Governor—Allen, 928; Boyd, 407; Allen's majority, 521.
Attorney General—Harlan, 921; James, 328; Harlan's majority, 523.
Auditor—Page, 928; Green, 396; Page's majority, 532.
Treasurer—White, 921; Garrard, 400; White's majority, 521.
Register—Herndon, 921; Frazier, 398; Herndon's majority, 523.
Superintendent of Public Instruction—Evans, 920; Richardson, 400; Evans' majority, 520.
President Board Internal Improvement—Haggard, 918; Bates, 398; Haggard's majority, 520.
Congress—Laban T. Moore, Opp., 935; Judge Moore, Dem., 412; L. T. Moore's majority, 523.
Thompson, Opp., elected to Legislature, and Clinckenham elected Coroner.
Above is a heavy vote for this county—both parties polling a very full vote.
Respectfully, C. E.

Ballit County—Complete.

Governor—Beriah Magoffin, 481; Joshua F. Bell, 402.

Lieutenant Governor—Linn Boyd, 471; Alf. Allen, 353.

Attorney General—A. J. James, 467; James Harlan, 320.

Auditor—Grant Green, 466; Thomas S. Page, 345.

Treasurer—J. H. Garrard, 467; D. White, 323.

Register—T. J. Frazier, 466; J. B. Herndon, 320.

Superintendent of Instruction—R. Richardson, 456; W. F. Evans, 323.

President Board of Internal Improvement—James P. Bates, 464; D. R. Haggard, 322.

Congress, in 5th district—John Young Brown, 508; J. H. Jewett, 308.

House of Representatives—J. O. Harrison, 493; Dr. J. H. Hill, 315.

Kenton and Campbell Counties.

COVINGTON, Aug. 2, 3 P. M.

Official returns not all in yet. Calculation, as far as heard from, gives Magoffin 700 majority in Kenton county. Campbell county, between 500 and 600 majority for Magoffin.

Gallatin County.

WARSAW, Aug. 1.

Congress—Stevenson's (D.) maj. 84.

Legislature—Chambers, D., 85.

State ticket pretty much the same.

Barren County.

GLASGOW, Aug. 2.

Opposition elect both members of the Legislature—gains.

Bell's majority about 200.

Hart County.

CHALK RIDGE, Aug. 2.

Magoffin's majority supposed to be 400. In this precinct Magoffin's majority is 134; Boyd's 135; Sale 125; Doran, Democrat, for Legislature, no opposition.

Mason County.

For Governor—Bell's majority 400. City of Maysville—official vote—Bell 141 majority; Allen 140; Harlan 123; Page 162; Herndon 139; Evans 106; Haggard 121; White 127; Gabe T. Moore, for Congress, 125 majority. R. H. Stanton, for Commonwealth's Attorney, 10 majority.

Estill County Complete.

IRVINE, Aug. 2, 1859.

Editor YEOMAN: The vote in Estill stands as follows:

Magoffin, 574; Bell, 556.

Boyd, 574; Allen, 526.

James, 584; Harlan, 527.

Green, 563; Page, 533.

J. H. Garrard, 565; White, 524.

Frazier, 570; Herndon, 520.

Richardson, 566; Evans, 522.

Bates, 566; Haggard, 523.

T. T. Garrard, for Congress, 491; Adams for Congress, 536.

A. B. Stivers, Dem., for Legislature, 580; W. J. Webb, for Legislature, Opp. 510.

A part of the new county of Jackson, taken from this county, votes with this county, and is reported to have given to Stivers a majority of 5 votes. Have not heard from any other county.

Yours, &c., R. R.

Marion County.

The official vote of this county makes the majority for Magoffin 628.

Brown, for Congress, 421 majority.

Senator Bourbon and Bath.

PARIS, August 3.

Bourbon, Clay's majority 257; Bath, Prall's majority about 280.

Caldwell County.

EDDYVILLE, Aug. 2.

Polls of this county all in. Magoffin 363, Holt 329. Congress—Burnett, Dem., 433; Morrow, O. A. 48. Nothing reliable heard from adjoining counties. The vote of all Democratic candidates vary but little from Magoffin.

Todd County.

TRENTON, KY., Aug. 2.

Bell's majority 150. Gain for Bell over Morehead's majority, 37. Bristow, O., has a majority of 330 over Sale, D., for Congress. Terry, O., has a majority of 300 for the Legislature.

Henderson County.

HENDERSON, Aug. 2.

Complete official returns give the following majorities: For Bell, 20; Allen, 19; Harlan, 11; Green, 84; Richardson, 12; Bates, 17; Garrard, 13; Peyton, Democratic candidate for Congress, 18; Lyne, Opposition candidate for Representative.

A man named Dickey killed another man in a fight yesterday, in the Osborn District in this county.

Kenton County.

COVINGTON, Aug. 2.

Democratic majorities in Kenton county as follows: Magoffin, 536; Boyd, 661; James, 666; Green, 591; Garrard, 638; Frazier, 630; Richardson, 638; Bates, 684; Stevenson, 768; Carlisle over Grant, 713; over Daniels, 912; Ellis over Grant, 576; over Daniels, 759.

Shelby County—Incomplete.

Governor—Magoffin, 716; Bell, 1,447.

Lieut. Governor—(Incomplete, two precincts to hear from)—Boyd, 656; Allen, 917.

Congress—Holt, 724; Mallory, 1,117.

Bohannon and Neel, Opp., elected to the Legislature.

Allen County.

Governor—Magoffin's majority 300.

Congress—Sale, D., 200 majority.

Senate—Anthony, D., 425 majority.

Lewis County.

Governor—Magoffin 30 majority.

Congress—Moore, D., 60 majority.

Legislature—Thomas, O., 248 majority—Opposition gain.

Harrison County.

CYNTHIANA, Aug. 2.

The official majority for the Buchanan Democracy in old Harrison, 384; Boyd, 399; Richardson, 402.

The poll books are not all in, but the result is about thus:

Magoffin about 25 or 50 majority. The balance of the State ticket is the same thing. Brown's majority over Jewett 183. English and Armstrong, Opposition, elected without opposition.

Kentucky Legislature.

SENATORS ELECT.

6. Warren, Allen, and Edmonson—W. T. Anthony, Dem. gain.

8. Hart, Green, and Taylor—C. J. Walton, Dem.

10. Boyle, Curry, and Adair—T. P. Alexander, Opp.

15. 6 Wards City Louisville—John G. Lyons, Opp.

16. Jefferson Co., 7th and 8th wards of City—C. D. Pennabaker, Opp.

17. Henry, Oldham, and Temple—Samuel E. Dehaven, Dem.

26. Carroll, Gallatin, and Boone—Charles Chambers, Dem. gain.

28. Bourbon and Bath—John A. Prall, Dem. gain.

30. Harrison and Bracken—Thornton F. Marshall, Dem. gain.

Senators holding over—Democrats 11, Opposition 7.

Of the eleven districts not heard from, the Democracy will carry the 1st, 2d, 22d, 37th and 38th certain. The 9th, 11th, and 25th districts are doubtful, with the chances in favor of the Democracy for two of them, while the 3d, 4th, and 24th will return Opposition members.

Giving the Opposition the doubtful districts, we claim for the Democracy 22 members of the Senate, which gives them a majority of 6.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Adair—Nat. Gaither, Jr., Dem.

Anderson—Joseph H. D. McKee, Dem.

Allen—Wilson Foster, Dem.

Boyle—Alex. Sneed, Opp.

Bullitt—John O. Harrison, Dem.

Bourbon—Oscar Burbridge, Opp.

Barren—J. W. Ritter and Ishmael H. Smith, both Opp. gain.

Boone—Fountain Riddell, Dem. gain.

Ballard and McCracken—L. D. Husbands, Dem.

Campbell—Geo. B. Hodge, Dem.

Clark—Harrison Thompson, Opp.

Franklin—John Rodman, Opp.

Fayette—Thos. H. Clay and R. A. Buckner, both Opp.

Fleming and Rowan—H. B. Dobyns and H. G. Burns, both Dem. gain of 1.

Gallatin—A. B. Chambers, Dem. gain.

Green—D. P. White, Dem.

Henderson—J. B. Lyne, Opp.

Hardin—Jas. G. Leach, Dem.

Hart—John Donan, Dem.

Harrison—J. W. Shawhan and W. W. Cleary, both Dem.

Jessamine—Wm. Fisher, Opp. gain.

Jefferson—David Merriwether and Samuel L. Geiger, both Dem., gain of 2.

Kenton—J. G. Carlisle and John Ellis, both Dem.

Louisville 1st Dist.—Joseph Croxton, Dem. gain.

Louisville 2d Dist.—F. Wright, Opp.

Louisville 3d Dist.—Joshua Tevis, Opp.

Louisville 4th Dist.—U. C. Sherrill, Opp.

Larue—N. A. Rapier, Dem.

Lewis—Thomas, Opp. gain.

Mercer—C. S. Abell, Dem.

Marion—Robert Burton, Jr., Dem.

Monroe—Daniel E. Downing, Opp. gain.

Monroe—George L. Forman and L. S. Luttrell, both Opp.

Nicholas—Nelson Stedd, Dem.

Oldham—R. T. Jacob, Dem.

Simpson—John A. Finn, Dem.

Shelby—Henry Bohannon and F. Neel, both Opp.

Scott—Wm. Johnson, Dem.

Spencer—Edward Massey, Dem.

Todd—Gobias Terry, Opp.

Taylor—A. F. Gowdy, Dem.

Woodford—J. Kemp Goodloe, Opp.

Washington—John Hunter, Dem.

Democrats 30, Opposition 23, as far as heard from.

Democratic gains..... 6

Opposition gains..... 5

Net Democratic gain..... 1

Last House—Democrats 62, Opposition 38.

[From the Louisville Democrat.]

Further from the Fifth District.

We have the following reported majorities from the Fifth District. It is very evident that John Young Brown, the regular Democratic candidate for Congress, has been elected by a large majority;

Brown, Jewett.

Spencer..... 50

Mercer..... 800

Hardin..... 180

Meade..... 66

Larue..... 200

Bullitt..... 300

Washington..... 500

Marion..... 450

Total..... 2,240

Brown's majority..... 1,815

Henry County—Complete.

New Castle—Magoffin, 106; Bell, 188; Holt, 105; Mallory, 191.

Port Royal—Magoffin, 218; Bell, 50; Holt, 218; Mallory, 53.

Lockport—Magoffin, 251; Bell, 60; Holt, 251; Mallory, 62.

Ridge—Magoffin, 151; Bell, 95; Holt, 152; Mallory, 98.

Pleasureville—Magoffin, 136; Bell, 70; Holt, 127; Mallory, 69.

Hendonsville—Magoffin, 126; Bell, 73; Holt, 126; Mallory, 76.

Campbellsburg—Magoffin, 50; Bell, 98, Holt, 52; Mallory, 98.

Oldham County—Complete.

Governor—Magoffin, 529; Bell 357.

Vote of Kentucky, 1856.

Buchan. Fillm'e.		
Adair.....	1033	455
Allen.....	713	537
Anderson.....	713	537
Bellard.....	655	393
Barron.....	1232	1361
Bath.....	1028	642
Boone.....	818	937
Bourbon.....	601	957
Boyle.....	362	676
Brecken.....	742	876
Breckinridge.....	628	1008
Bullitt.....	561	545
Butler.....	451	571
Caldwell.....	607	463
Calloway.....	1209	206
Campbell.....	1219	906
Carroll.....	511	439
Carter.....	715	601
Cass.....	1098	1080
Christian.....	418	946
Clarke.....	369	421
Clinton.....	522	261
Crittenden.....	664	306
Cumberland.....	335	654
Davies.....	965	954
Edmonson.....	421	161
Estill.....	1006	1494
Fayette.....	848	949
Fleming.....	939	85
Floyd.....	794	883
Franklin.....	460	340
Gallatin.....	269	310
Garrard.....	426	869
Graves.....	1380	475
Grayson.....	651	477
Green.....	639	408
Greenup.....	865	866
Hancock.....	407	425
Hardin.....	932	1236
Harlan.....	264	331
Harrison.....	1005	965
Hart.....	167	509
Henderson.....	767	865
Henry.....	1050	727
Hickman.....	631	244
Hopkins.....	1133	857
Jefferson.....	2972	4982
Jessamine.....	553	614
Johnson.....	743	1246
Kenton.....	271	588
Knott.....	489	546
Larue.....	365	408
Laurel.....	478	466
Lawrence.....	287	79
Letcher.....	631	586
Lewis.....	453	796
Lincoln.....	372	457
Livingston.....	306	1613
Lyon.....	390	253
Madison.....	832	1087
Magoffin.....	1154	418
Marshall.....	943	104
Martin.....	994	1308
McCracken.....	305	660
McLean.....	476	404
Meade.....	1022	714
Menard.....	1121	615
Montgomery.....	451	546
Monroe.....	661	561
Morgan.....	1068	289
Muhlenburg.....	747	733
Nelson.....	1041	793
Nicholas.....	703	606
Ohio.....	991	813
Oldham.....	528	387
Owen.....	1579	554
Owsley.....	401	335
Pendleton.....	732	746
Perry.....	295	173
Pike.....	706	161
Powell.....	177	167
Pulaski.....	1336	956
Rockcastle.....	184	106
Rowan.....	237	106
Russell.....	429	448
Scott.....	1049	674
Shelby.....	773	1262
Simpson.....	537	437
Spencer.....	434	391
Taylor.....	672	317
Todd.....	574	521
Trimble.....	599	275
Union.....	925	653
Warren.....	695	1354
Washington.....	1145	441
Wayne.....	699	515
Whitley.....	338	572
Woodford.....	420	672
Total.....	74432	67249

*The vote of these counties for 1856 was excluded from the official canvass on account of informality in the returns, and the State of Buchanan, 6,118.

The Ascent of the Balloon "Jupiter."

According to announcement, Prof. John Wise and his son Charles (a young man of about twenty years) made their balloon ascent yesterday morning from Washington square. The day was quite unfavorable, the heavens being overhung with clouds and the atmosphere unusually dense. At 9 o'clock there was a slight sprinkle of rain, which did not, however, deter the inflation, which at that hour had already commenced. By 10 o'clock the weather appeared less insipid, and there was some prospect of sunshine.

The balloon is thirty-six feet in diameter, constructed of a peculiar cotton cloth, tightly sewed in segments, and coated over on both sides with a drying varnish. It has a surface of nearly four thousand cubic feet, and is capable of holding twenty thousand cubic feet of carburetted hydrogen or coal gas, having an ascensive power of nearly one thousand pounds.

At a quarter before eleven o'clock, the car (a willow basket about four feet square) having been adjusted to a netting and the concentric hoop, and the two voyagers having taken their places therein all was ready for the launch. The Jupiter was now allowed to rise until the car or basket came immediately above the heads of the crowd, where it was held by means of a rope, one end of which rested in the hand of Prof. Wise, who took advantage of the prominence thus given him to make a few remarks. Prof. W. explained that the present ascension was not made to demonstrate that long voyages could be made, for that had already been proved, but was intended to be instrumental in ascertaining the barometrical heights of the different air-currents, so as to render ballooning more systematic and certain.

At 5 minutes to 11 o'clock he released the rope, and the balloon rose with a dignified and graceful motion, to pursue its course through the latitudes of a shoreless sea.

The barometer at the earth, on starting, indicated nearly 29½ inches, showing the atmosphere to be very humid and dense. For this reason, combined with the unusual density of the air, the flight of the balloon was not rapid, and it was found necessary to discharge the ballast almost immediately. Nevertheless the ascension proved to be a very fine one indeed, giving great delight to every one who beheld it.

The direction taken by the "Jupiter" was northeast, though considerably more northerly than that of the "Atlantic" from this city. We watched it until the car with its inmates was no longer visible.

As has been stated heretofore, it was a part of the design of Prof. Wise to get no further from Lafayette, Ind., than it might be possible to attain, the Professor having an engagement to make an ascension from that place this week. It was, indeed, announced that he intended to land within a few miles of that city, which, doubtless, he would like very well to accomplish. It is not improbable, however, that, unless the "Jupiter" reached a height out of the way of the rain, the condensing state of the atmosphere and the additional weight which the water would give to the balloon and netting, may have made a descent necessary long before the State of Illinois had been traversed.—St. Louis Republican.

John W. Patton a well known citizen of Cynthiana, Ky., died on the 30th ult.

A Singular Dream.

We take the following account of a singular dream from the Western Christian Advocate:

Mr. B. had been twice married, but was left a second time a widower with six daughters, and one son. After these bereavements, Mr. B. inferred the Lord did not wish him to enjoy the blessing of a wife, and he resolved to sacrifice all personal conveniences and enjoyments of the conjugal relation, and never attempt to select another partner in life. This resolution he sacredly kept for nearly three years, when the arguments and counsel of the minister of the circuit, in the State of Delaware, prevailed on him to change his mind. The consideration of his numerous family of daughters requiring so much of a mother's care and instruction, was one of the strong reasons that had induced him to admit that his resolution might be founded in error. The minister, encouraged by the good impression he had made, and the influence he had gained over Mr. B., took the liberty to name to him a lady residing in a certain neighborhood of his, of whom he thought would make an excellent wife and a good mother for his children, and appointed the time and place for Mr. B. to meet him and be introduced to her. Some occurrence took place which prevented Mr. B. from meeting the minister according to appointment.

The minister, intent upon his plan, procured Mr. B.'s consent to meet him a second time, the appointment was made, but an unexpected Providence again prevented Mr. B. from being there at the time. They then made a third arrangement, and Mr. B. determined, if life and health permitted, he would certainly meet his friend, and be made acquainted with the lady recommended. Before the time arrived, however, Mr. B. was administered in a dream that the woman so favorably spoken of by the minister was the one he ought to marry, and he was conducted in a vision to the residence of the young lady that would be a suitable helpmate, and that Providence designed for him. The distance was sixty miles, and he had only traveled twenty miles in that direction. Yet the map of the whole road was laid before his mind, and the way he should go so distinctly marked in his dream, that he seemed perfectly familiar with all the road. He dreamed the distance, the name of the young woman, and the name of her stepfather, Col. Vickers, the appearance of the house in which he lived, how it was painted; that it was situated near the river, with a warehouse near at hand. He dreamed, also, that there were five young ladies belonging to the same family; and that he was selected for his accurate description in his dream, that he could easily distinguish her from the other four.

In the morning he awoke and thought nothing of his vision, except as an ordinary, and rather remarkable dream. The next night he had precisely the same vision repeated, and the same things presented to his mind in a still more vivid manner. Mr. B. began to think that he might be some indication of Providence in his dream; and all that day he made it the subject of sincere and ardent prayer, that God would direct him in the way he should go in a matter so grave, and involving so much interest to himself and his motherless children. That night he had the vision repeated the third time, and he determined then to follow the direction furnished him, and fully test the circumstances of the dream by a practical examination, and see if the results would be developed as he dreamed them. He immediately sent a note to the preacher, informing him that he had changed his mind, and must decline meeting him at the time appointed. Mr. B. started in the direction indicated by his vision, and after passing the twenty miles he was acquainted with, he found the house, and the map of the road was so vividly impressed upon his mind, that he was able to distinguish his road from all others. The gentleman whose name was given him in his dream he had never seen or heard of. He knew the farm as soon as he saw it. The house and everything about it appeared precisely as they had been presented in his vision.

Mr. B. alighted from his horse, and entered the beautiful house. The personal appearance of the young lady was so vividly impressed on his mind by the vision three repeated, that he readily recognized her in company of the four others, whom he found in the same family. He soon ascertained the name of the young woman, and found it to be Sarah T., according to his dream. The young lady had determined, and had often said she would never marry a widower. Miss T. said the moment she first saw Mr. B. she felt a strange tremor pass over her whole system. She had a vivid impression that he was a widower, and that he had come to see her. She afterwards confessed that a sudden emotion of affection for him arose in her heart as soon as she came into his presence.

Mr. B. obtained the pleasure of an interview with her that evening, and was successful in securing her consent to visit her again, and address her on the subject of marriage. He, however, did not tell her his dream till she had engaged to become his wife. After a courtship of a few months, they were happily married, and lived together more than fifty years. Mr. B. died the 28th of March, 1849, and Mrs. B. lived till the 7th of April, 1847. For sixty years, perhaps, they were both distinguished and useful members of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

A CURIOUS RESURRECTION CASE.—The Columbus Fact says:

A curious case occurred last week at Rome, in Franklin county, Ohio. Mrs. Peters, wife of a German of that name, after a short illness, was supposed to have died. Her husband made immediate arrangements for her funeral, having procured a coffin in this city. On placing her body in the coffin, a general perspiration was observed throughout the skin, which was reported to the husband, with the suggestion that the burial be deferred, in the hope of reanimation. To this the husband objected, and had her interred the same day, (Saturday.)

After the burial services were over, some relatives of the supposed deceased, who reside in this city, arrived at Rome to attend the funeral, which had already taken place, and hearing of the circumstances, caused the body, which had been four hours in the grave, to be disinterred, when to their surprise and joy, they found signs of life still remaining. Restoratives being administered, Mrs. Peters gradually recovered, and was taken by her friends to this city, and is now well. We are informed that she refuses to again live with her husband. The circumstances connected with the affair are strange indeed, and should undergo investigation.

THE WHEAT CROP.—The wheat crop of this country, just harvested, is set down at two hundred and one million of bushels, or about forty millions of barrels, or one and three-fifths of a barrel of flour for every one of the twenty-five millions of individuals in this country. This would not seem to be a great deal more than our own wants would require, and it would not be if we had not the other cereals, and particularly the great crop of Indian corn, to help out the supply. Ohio is given a production of 20,000,000 bushels; Pennsylvania 25,000,000; New York 20,000,000; Illinois 20,000,000. The New England States have decreased in their production of wheat, but the increase in the production of corn has more than made up for the loss. The average of land under wheat cultivation this year is thirty-three per cent. greater than in 1855. We frequently hear of a production of thirty-one bushels to the acre, but the actual production per acre does not average two-thirds of that amount.

COULDN'T STAND THE DOCTORS.—Some years since an old revolutionary soldier, named Benjamin Johnson, of Milford, Mass., was struck by lightning, but not killed. For two days he was insensible, when two doctors were called, who said he would die. Just at that moment his speech came to him, and calling his wife by her name, he said, "I have stood cannon and musket ball, and bayonet, and I can stand thunder and lightning, if the doctors only let me be;" and sure enough he recovered.

THE SLAVES MANUMITTED BY MR. NORTON, of Hindo county, had reached California, and notwithstanding by the direction of his will, their passage to California was paid and one thousand dollars distributed among them, they are already in miserable condition, dissipated, and actually suffering for want of food.—Vicksburg Sun.

Arrival of the Overland Mail.

The overland mail, with San Francisco dates to the 8th inst., arrived last night.

The steamer Uncle Sam, from Panama June 21st, which connected with the Northern Light that left New York June 10th, arrived at San Francisco on the 7th.

The Steamer Washington.—In addition to the libel filed against the steamer Washington for supplies furnished at Kingston, Jamaica, the officers and crew—thirty-four in number—yesterday lashed the ship for wages. The various suits amount to about \$17,000.—Ibid.

More Chinese Emigrants.—The ship Leonidas arrived yesterday from Hong-Kong with two hundred and fifty Chinese emigrants. There are two or three vessels now due from China.

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